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In re Application of:

John J. Nestor et al. :

App. No.: 08/812,991 : Art Unit: 1611

Filed: March 4, 1997 : Examiner: Mark L. Berch

For: 2-(2-AMINO-1,6-DIHYDRO-6-OXO-PURIN-9-YL)METHOXY-
1,3-PROPANEDIOL DERIVATIVE

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Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-entitled patent application is the following:

1. Response to Office Action
2. Declaration of Charles Dvorak
3. Declaration of Yeun-Kwei Han
4. Declaration of Hans Maag

A return postcard is also enclosed for the Office to indicate receipt of these materials.

[X] Petition For Extension Of Time

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) to respond to the Office Action mailed December 15, 1998, for:

[] one month	\$110.00
[] two months	\$380.00
[X] three months	\$870.00

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Claims Remaining After Amendment: ____ Total, ____ Independent
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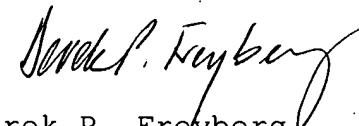
Additional independent claims above 3: ____ @ \$82 each .. \$0.00
Additional claims above 20: ____ @ \$22 each \$0.00
Multiple Dependency Fee: \$270 \$0.00

PLUS Extension of Time Fee: \$870.00
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Respectfully submitted,



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